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REPORT

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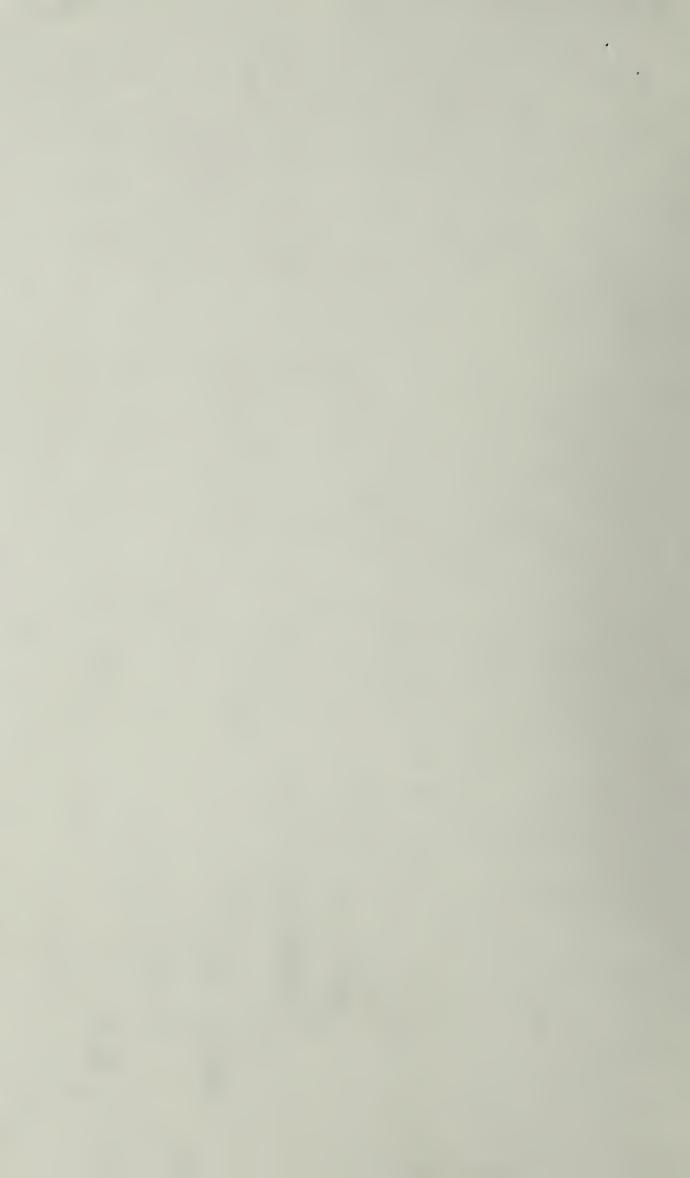
OF HEALTH

for the

Year Ended 31st December, 1972.

No. 6 Area Health, "Springfield" WILLINGTON, Crook, Co.Durhan, DL15 OHW.

Telephone: Willington 375.



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To the Chairman and Members of Crook and Willington U.D.C.

Ladies and Gentlemen,

I have the honour to submit my Annual Report for the year 1972.

During 1972 the birth rate (crude rate) at 11.8 per 1,000 estimated population was well below that of England and Males at 14.8 per 1,000 population while the death rate (crude rate) was above at 15.6 per 1,000 estimated population as compared with 12.1 per 1,000 population for England and Males. Since 1908 following the decline in coal mining in your area the population according to the Registrar General's figures has declined. Of the total deaths 57% were attributable to diseases of the heart and circulatory system. The population, generally speaking, is an aging one with a rising death rate and a falling birth rate.

The number of cases of measles this year (22) remained steady. For several years now no cases of poliomyelitis nor of diphtheria, dysentery, typhoid or para-typhoid have been recorded. There were no cases of food poisoning but there were a number of unidentified short lived cases of diarrhoea and vomiting which will require closer investigation.

Preventive measures against poliomyelitis, diphtheria, whooping cough and tetanus were continued as routine measures among children at clinics and schools in the area. Measles immunisation, started in 1968, was also pursued in 1972 and the restonse was satisfactory. Immunisation against german measles commenced during 1971 and was offered to girls of 11 - 13 years of age. The response was good.

Tuberculin testing in schools followed by B.C.G. immunisation was continued among school children at 11 years of age onwards.

Slum Clearance was pressed forward with vigour and many visits were paid to poor premises for various reasons including illness, management difficulties, problem cases and others.

The attendances at the three Maternity & Child Welfare Clinics were satisfactory but the decline in ante-natal visits continued - a decline which follows a national pattern and is due to the increasing participation of the general practitioner in this field of medicine. The relaxation classes and classes in mothercraft have been moderately successful.

The chiropody clinics in operation in your area have been increased but still there is no prospect of home chiropody service as yet.

The water and milk supplies to your area continued to be satisfactory and gave no cause for alarm from a public health point of view.

Your Chief Public Health Inspector has appended his report to this one.

In conclusion the state of public health in your area for 1972 was satisfactory.

I take this opportunity of thanking my colleagues for their pleasant and welcome co-operation and also the members of the Council for their assistance and continued interest during the year.

I have the honour to be, ladies and gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

G. A. MACGREGOR,
Medical Officer of Health.

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Deaths from Whooping Cough	• • • • • •	• • •	• • •	***

Table of Birth and Death Rates for the past 6 years

Year	Death Rate	Infantile Death Rate Under 1 year	Birth Rate
1967	14.29	23.67	14.29
1968	15.36	- 20.91	12.27
1969	15.70	7.00	12.50
1970	15.50	24.00	14.60
1971	13.90	16.00	14.30
1972	15.60	20.00	11.80

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Tuberculosis	5	4	1
Food Poisoning		649	***
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The following table shows the number of cases notified and deaths recorded from Diphtheria and Scarlet Fever during the past 6 years.

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ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CHIEF PUBLIC HEALTH INSPECTOR

1. WATER SUPPLY - The Durham County Water Board are the principal suppliers of water in the area and the vast majority of houses are connected to their mains. No houses are supplied by means of stand pipes.

There is no evidence of plumbo solvent action in the water supplied in this area.

2. <u>VISITS</u> - The following is a summary of the visits undertaken by Officers of the department during the year in pursuit of their official duties:-

(1)	Housing (Public Health and Housing Acts)		2887
(2)) W.C. Conversions and Defective Sanitary Conveniences		21
(3)	Drainage		340
(4)	Water Supply		15
(5)	Food Premises and Slaughterhouses		1083
(6)			3
(7)	,		29
(8)	Keeping of Animals		9
(9)	Insanitary Ashpits and Receptacles		15
(10)			4
	Smoke Nuisances		3
(12)	Prevention of Damage by Pests Act, 1949	• • • •	46

To this list must be added numerous other visits and inspections which cannot be categorised, in connection with the health and well-being of the residents of this district.

3. NUISANCES ETC. - The following table shows the principle nuisances dealt with during the year by means of notices:-

	Informal Notices Served	Statutory Notices Served	Defects Remedied After Notices
Public Health and Housing Acts	34	1	20
Defective Sanitary Conveniences	1	***	ana .
Drainage	-	8	8

Other nuisances were remedied and complaints dealt with as a result of informal action by Officers of the department without resorting to the use of notices.

- 4. SCHOOLS Occasional inspections of schools in the district were made in connection with sanitary accommodation and washing and canteen facilities.
- PREVENTION OF DAMAGE BY PESTS During the twelve months ended 31st December, 1972, 248 properties were inspected and the number of infestations and reinfestations was 253. Treatment was carried out accordingly. No charge is made for the treatment of domestic property but shops and agricultural hereditments are treated on a cost plus supervision basis. Close supervision of the Council's refuse tips and sewage works continued during the year.
- 6. SMOKE ABATEMENT Industrial smoke pollution is not a major problem in this semi-rural area and informal action sufficed to deal with isolated complaints of smoking chimneys, burning of rubbish and dust emissions. Domestic smoke emissions continues to be reduced by individual conversions to smokeless fuels and by the Council's policy of installing central heating in their new and modernised properties.
- 7. W.C. CONVERSIONS During the year no W.C. conversions were effected.

 Chemical closets and ashclosets remain only in property which has a short life or where drainage or water supply difficulties exist.

8. SHOPS AND FOOD PREMISES - Continuous supervision of food shops and food preparing premises has been maintained during the year to ensure that these premises comply with the Food Hygiene Regulations and attain a satisfactory standard of hygiene.

The following premises in the area are concerned with the manufacture and/or retailing of food:-

- Butchers. 14
- 4 Chemists.
- 8 Fish Shops.
- 46 General Dealers. 40 Grocers.
- 6 Greengrocers.
- 7 Stalls.
- 22 Restaurants, School Kitchens, Hotel Kitchens, and Canteens.
 - Bakehouses.
 - Premises registered for the preparation or manufacture of sausage or preserved food etc.
- Premises for the manufacture and sale of ice cream.

The total number of premises registered for the retailing of ice cream is now 62.

SLAUGHTERHOUSES - 3 registered slaughterhouses were operating during the year and 1083 visits were paid to those establishments and food premises generally for the purpose of food inspection and enforcement of hygiene requirements.

The following table gives details of the carcases and offal inspected and condemned in whole or in part:-

	Cattle- Excluding Cows	Cows	Calves	Sheep & Lambs	Pigs
Number of carcases inspected	4192	299	23	12145	6919
All diseases except Tuberculosis and Cysticerci:-					
Whole carcases condemned	32	50	8	44	29
Carcases of which some part or organ was condemned	416	104	_	83	525
Percentage of the number inspect affected with diseases other tha Tuberculosis and Cysticerci		51.50	34.78	1.05	8.01
Tuberculosis only:-					
Whole carcases condemned		_	_	-	
Carcase of which some part or organ was condemned	_	_	ana	-	77
Percentage of the number inspect affected with Tuberculosis	ed -		-	-	1.11

No beasts' carcases were found to be affected with Cysticercus Bovis.

10. FOOD ETC. CONDEMNED - During the year 21 tons. 12 cwts. 1 lb. of fresh meat and 5 sts. 8 lbs. of miscellaneous tinned food and loose provisions were condemned as unfit for human consumption. Condemned carcase meat is disposed of by the trade to local firms for processing, including the manufacture of animal food. Unsound tinned food and loose provisions are destroyed at the Council's refuse tips. Carcases affected with C-Bovis are subjected to refrigeration for periods of two to three weeks at the prescribed temperature. 11. HOUSING - The following table gives an indication of the year's progress in the clearance of slums and improvement of older houses in the area also the new houses completed during the year:-

Houses represented for clearance or closure during the year	• • •	140
Improvement Grant Applications approved	• • •	228
New houses erected by Local Authority	• • •	105
New houses erected by private persons	• • •	10

As in other years a great deal of attention has been paid to the condition, repair and maintenance of housing in the area and the encouragement of improvements to suitable older properties.

12. COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL OF REFUSE AND SALVAGE

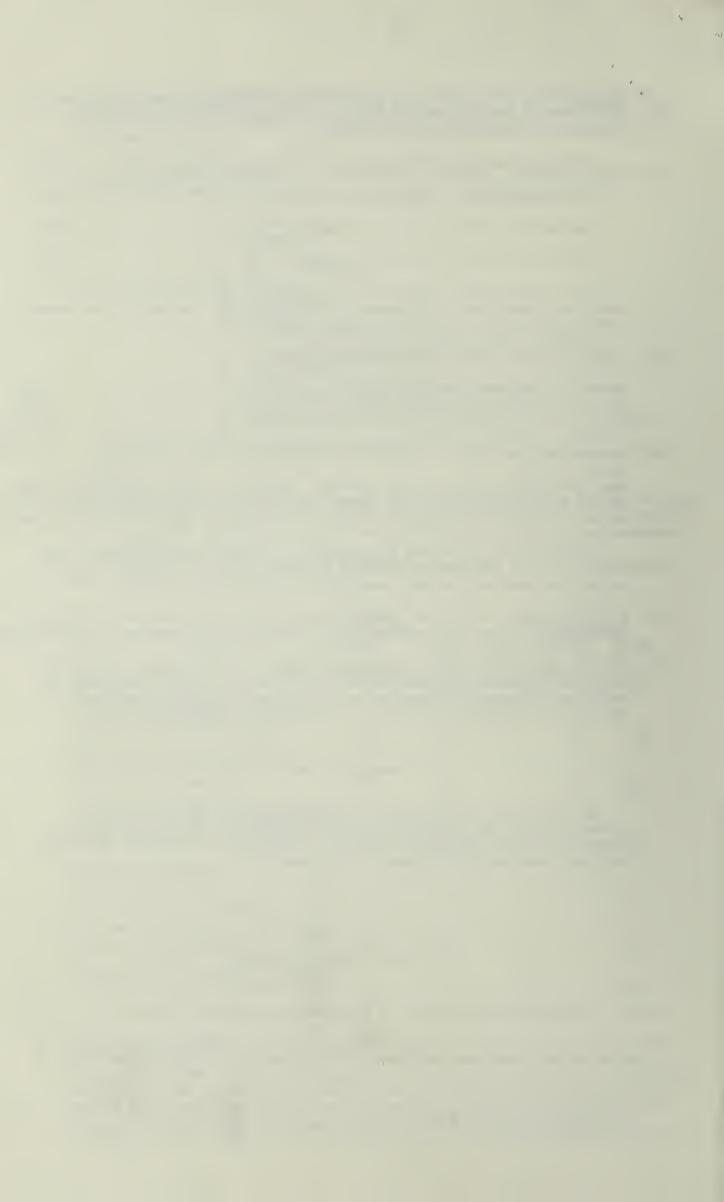
Number of premises cleansed weekly		• • •	• • • •		8494
Number of collections during the year	• • • • • •	• • •	• • • •		441688
Total refuse collected	• • • • •		• • • •		10,400 tons
Yield per premise per year	• • • • • •	• • •	• • • •	• • • • •	1.22 tons.
Average haul to tips		• • •		• • • •	$2\frac{1}{2}$ miles.
Number of tips		• • •	• • • •	• • • •	1
Dept. establishment as at 31st December	er, 1972	• • •	19 + 1	Rodent	Operative
Number of vehicles employed on Refuse	Collection	and	Trade	Refuse	5 + 2 spare
Refuse Disposal Plant	• • • • • •	• • •	• • • •	• • • • •	1 Payloader
norabe proposar radio	• • • • • •	• • •	• • • •	• • • • •	1 Tay Toader

Collection of refuse was maintained on a weekly basis during the year and the bulk of the refuse collected was disposed of by controlled tipping at the riverside site at Willington.

- 13. FACTORIES ACTS During the year 29 inspections of premises subject to the Factories Acts were made principally in connection with sanitary accommodation.
- 14. OFFICES, SHOPS AND RAILWAY PREMISES ACT, 1963 At the end of the year the number of premises registered under the Act was 139. 159 inspections of registered premises were carried out during the year and the attention of the persons responsible was drawn to the defects discovered.

In conclusion I would express to the members of the Council my appreciation of their support and encouragement during the year and my sincere thanks to my colleagues and all the staff of the Health Department for their invaluable assistance and co-operation.

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FACTURIES ACT 1961

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH
IN RESPECT OF THE YEAR 1972 FOR THE URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL
OF GROOK AND IN THE COUNTY OF
WILLINGTON

Prescribed Particulars on the Administration of the Factories Act, 1961

PART 1 OF THE ACT

1 - INSPECTIONS for purposes of provisions as to health (including inspections made by Public Health Inspectors)

	Number	Number of				
Premises (1)	on Register (2)	Inspections (3)		Occupiers prosecuted (5)		
(i) Factories in which Sections 1,2, 3,4 and 6 are to be enforced by Local Authorities.	2	2	-	-		
(ii) Factories not included in (i) in which Section 7 is enforced by the Local Authority	68	27	-	- -		
(iii) Other premises in which Section 7 is enforced by the Local Authority (excluding out-workers' premises)	≠ _		_			
Total	70	29	· _	-		

2 - Cases in which DEFECTS were found (If defects are discovered at the premises on two, three or more separate occasions they should be recked as two, three or more "cases")

2	Number	of cases : were f	Number of cases in which		
Particulars	Found Remedied To H.M. B. Inspector In		Ву Н.М.	prosecutions were instituted	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Mant of cleanliness (S.1)	3	3	_	1	•
Overcrowding (S.2)	-	_	-		-
Unreasonable temperature (S.3)	-	-	_	-	-
Inadequate ventilation (S.4)	-	_	-	_	

- + Metropolitan Borough, County Borough, Urban District, Rural District.
- ✓ To prevent any differences between the lists kept respectively by the Local Authorities and H.M. Inspectors of Factories of the numbers of factories in which sections 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6 of the Factories act, 1961 are enforced by Local Authorities, it is requested that Local Authorities should compare their lists of factories with the lists kept by H m. Inspectors of Factories.
- ≠ i.e. Electrical Stations (Section 123(1)), Institutions (Section 124) sites of Building Operations and Works of Engineering Construction (Section 127), Slaughterhouses, (Section 175(1)(d) and (e)) and Railway Running Sheds Section 175(2) and (10)).

Particulers		Number of	Number of cases in which		
(1)	Found (2)	Remedied (3)	To H.M.	eferred By H.M. Inspector (5)	prosecutions were instituted (6)
Ineffective drainage of floors (S.6)					
Sanitary Conveniences (5.7) (a) Insufficient (b) Unsuitable or defective (c) Not separate for	1	-		1 ·	
	2				
sems		,		•	
TOTAL	3			1	

PART VIII OF THE ACT

Outwork

(Sections 133 and 134)

·	Section 133			Secti	on 134	
Nature of Work (1)	No. of Out-workers in August list required by Section 133(1)(c) (2)	No. of cases of default in sending lists to the Council	No. of prosecutions for failure to supply lists	No. of instances of work in unwhole-some premises	Notices served (6)	Prose- cutions
Wearing) Making apparel) etc.,) Cleaning) and) Washing						
Household Linen						
Lace, lace cur- tains and nets						
Curtains and furniture hangings Furniture and upholstery Electro-plate						
Filo Making						
Brass and brass articles		·		-		
Fur pulling	r		NIL			
Iron and steel cables and chains Iron and steel						-
anchors and graphols						
Cart gear						
Locks, latches and keys			•			
Umbrellas, etc.						1
Ertificial flowers						
Nets, other than wire nets			The state of the s			
Tents						
Sacks						
Racquet and tennis balls		-			Si Charven Control of the Control of	

Outwork

Sections 133 and 134)

	Section 133			Section 134			
Nature of Fork	list required by Section	No. of cases of default in sending lists to the Council	tions for failure to supply	No. of instances of work in unwhole-some premises	Notices served (6)	Prose- cutions	
Paper bags							
The making of boxes or other receptacles or parts thereof made wholly or partially of paper				à la company			
Brush making							
Pea picking							
Feather sorting							
Carding, etc., or buttons, etc.				anyanyan sa wanaya ku tar Tarahan Marina			
Stuffed toys							
Basket naking							
Chocolates and sweetmeats							
Cosaques, Christmas stock- ings, etc.							
Textile weaving							
Lampshades							
TOTAL	And the same of th				And the second second		

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Medical Officer of Health

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